

# AmeriCorps\*State Program Directory

Program Year 2013-14



"Getting Things Done in Illinois"



State of Illinois  
Department of Human Services  
Division of Family and Community Service

## **General Information**

AmeriCorps is a national service program that involves people in "getting things done" in communities. AmeriCorps Members develop an ethic of service while strengthening local communities. Illinois has 29 AmeriCorps\*State programs in operation for the 2013-2014 program year and nearly 1000 Members committing to a year of service. These Members serve 30 counties in close to 300 host sites. The charge of individual AmeriCorps programs are determined by the local needs of communities with many focusing on education, human service and support needs, environmental quality, public health, or public safety.

AmeriCorps\*State programs are administered by the Serve Illinois Commission on Volunteerism and Community Service. The mission of Serve Illinois is to improve Illinois communities by supporting and enhancing volunteerism and community service. Serve Illinois strives to realize its mission through the engagement of communities, schools, businesses, governmental entities, and faith and community-based organizations in the implementation of volunteerism, national service, and community service goals. As a Governor-appointed commission of the State of Illinois housed within the Illinois Department of Human Services, the staff and commissioners of Serve Illinois seek to maintain a high level of statewide engagement, promotion, and successful completion of the volunteerism and community service priorities identified and approved annually by Serve Illinois.

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## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Safe Families AmeriCorps Program American Red Cross - Chicago



**American  
Red Cross**

#### **Program Description:**

The American Red Cross exists to provide compassionate care to those in need. Our network of generous donors, volunteers and employees share a mission of preventing and relieving suffering, here at home and around the world. The Safe Families IL AmeriCorps program helps the Red Cross achieve its mission by paying special attention to the neighborhoods and communities that need services the most, yet are least likely to be able to afford them. The AmeriCorps program is dedicated to bringing Red Cross safety and health programs to underserved neighborhoods, schools and communities throughout Illinois. Red Cross health, safety and preparedness programs include training on: CPR, first aid, fire prevention, emergency preparedness for parents, youth safety programs, and more.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **American Red Cross of Adams County**

3000 N. 23rd St  
Quincy, IL 62305  
County: Adams

##### **American Red Cross of the Quad Cities**

1100 River Drive, P.O. Box 888  
Moline, IL 61266  
County: Rock Island

##### **American Red Cross Rock River Chapter**

727 N Church St.  
Rockford, IL 61103  
County: Winnebago

##### **American Red Cross of Greater Chicago**

2200 West Harrison Street  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

##### **American Red Cross Mid-Illinois Chapter**

2674 N. Main Street  
Decatur, IL 62562  
County: Macon

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Asian Human Services AmeriCorps Project



ASIAN HUMAN SERVICES

#### Program Description:

Asian Human Services exists to provide quality, compassionate, and culturally competent services to low-income and immigrant and refugee communities in metropolitan Chicago. AmeriCorps members at AHS fill supportive roles in our Adult Education and Family Literacy Program (LEAF), Passages Charter School, Family Health Center, Community Health Program, Mental Health and Employment Program. Members engage in a variety of activities to improve the clients' education level, health, and employment situation, including teaching ESL, Adult Basic Education, and Computer classes to adults, tutoring in After School programs, assisting in elementary school classrooms, presenting health education workshops, helping clients find housing and mental health services, and assisting individuals to create resumes and research job opportunities.

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#### Host Sites:

##### Asian Human Services Community Health Program

4753 N Broadway, Suite 700  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

##### Asian Human Services Family Health Center

2424 W Peterson  
Chicago, IL 60659  
County: Cook

##### Asian Human Services Passages Charter School

1643 W Bryn Mawr  
Chicago, IL 60660  
County: Cook

##### Asian Human Services Employment Program

4820 N Broadway, 3rd Floor  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

##### Asian Human Services LEAF Program

2838 W Peterson  
Chicago, IL 60659  
County: Cook

##### Asian Human Services Mental Health Program

4753 N Broadway, Suite 700  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Academy for Urban School Leadership



TURNING AROUND SCHOOLS

#### Program Description:

The Academy for Urban School Leadership's (AUSL) mission is to improve student achievement in Chicago's high-poverty, chronically failing schools through its disciplined transformation process, built on a foundation of specially trained AUSL teachers.

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#### Host Sites:

##### The Chicago Academy

3400 North Austin  
Chicago, IL 60624  
County: Cook

##### Chicago Academy High School

3400 North Austin  
Chicago, IL 60634  
County: Cook

##### Curtis School of Excellence

32 E 115th St  
Chicago, IL 62628  
County: Cook

##### Dodge Renaissance Academy

431 N Troy Ave  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

##### Dulles School of Excellence

6311 S Calumet Ave  
Chicago, IL 62637  
County: Cook

##### Deneen School of Excellence

7257 S State St  
Chicago, IL 60619  
County: Cook

##### Eric Solorio Academy High School

5400 S St Louis Ave  
Chicago, IL 60632  
County: Cook

##### Howe School of Excellence

720 North Lorel Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60644  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Academy for Urban School Leadership

#### Host Sites Continued:

##### **Johnson School of Excellence**

1420 S Albany Ave  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

##### **National Teachers' Academy**

55 West Cermak Road  
Chicago, IL 60616  
County: Cook

##### **Tarkington School of Excellence**

3330 West 71st Street  
Chicago, IL 60629  
County: Cook

##### **Morton School of Excellence**

431 N Troy St  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

##### **Marquette School of Excellence**

6550 S Richmond St  
Chicago, IL 60629  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Belleville AmeriCorps Southwestern Illinois College



#### Program Description:

Belleville AmeriCorps program, established in 1995, is a partnership between Southwestern Illinois College, Belleville School District #118, the city of Belleville, Franklin Neighborhood Association, Lebanon Kids, and YMCA of Southwest Illinois. The program supports neighborhood and school initiatives that strengthen the community through service. AmeriCorps members serve as tutors, computer coaches, volunteer coordinators, mentors, and summer camp counselors. Through service, AmeriCorps members: increase youth academic success through tutoring; provide positive recreational and enrichment activities for youth after school and during the summer; recruit, support and train volunteers to serve organizations in the Belleville area; and develop leadership skills by participating in team-building and service learning activities.

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#### Host Sites:

##### Abraham Lincoln Elementary

820 Royal Heights Road  
Belleville, IL 62226  
County: St. Clair

##### Douglas Elementary

125 Carlyle Ave  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

##### Central Junior High

1811 Central School Road  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

##### Ellis Elementary School

250 Illini Dr.  
Belleville, IL 62223  
County: St. Clair

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Belleville AmeriCorps Southwestern Illinois College

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Emge Junior High School**

7401 Westchester Dr.  
Belleville, IL 62223  
County: St. Clair

**Franklin Neighborhood  
Association (FNCA)**

308 N. 2nd Street  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**Henry Raab Elementary**

1120 Union Avenue  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**Lebanon Kids**

Lebanon Grade School  
Lebanon, IL 62254  
County: St. Clair

**Kids Club  
Southwestern Illinois College**

2500 Carlyle Ave  
Belleville, IL 62221  
County: St. Clair

**Union Elementary**

20 South 27th Street  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**West Junior High**

840 Royal Heights Road  
Belleville, IL 62226  
County: St. Clair

**Franklin Elementary**

301 North 2nd Street  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**Harmony Neighborhood  
Association**

7401 Westchester Dr  
Belleville, IL 62223  
County: St. Clair

**Jefferson Elementary**

1400 North Charles  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**Roosevelt Elementary**

700 West Cleveland Avenue  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**Southwestern Illinois College  
Veteran's Services**

2500 Carlyle Ave  
Belleville, IL 62221  
County: St. Clair

**Washington Elementary**

400 South Charles Street  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

**Westhaven Elementary**

118 Westhaven School Road  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair



## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Illinois JusticeCorps Chicago Bar Foundation



#### **Program Description:**

Illinois JusticeCorps is an innovative program that enhances access to justice for the growing number of unrepresented people in the courts by empowering and training student volunteers to help people without lawyers with the court system. JusticeCorps members help people with legal questions and problems and assist them in navigating the courthouse.

At present it is very difficult for people to know where to go, what to ask for, who to see for documents, approvals, and advice in courthouses. People coming to court on their own are often confused intimidated and scared without meaningful assistance navigating the court. Helping members of the public to navigate this complex and daunting system means people without attorneys are able to complete the purpose of their visit more efficiently. Members are trained about the activities which take place in the courthouse and on the commonly asked questions, areas of law and resources so they can best assist people.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **McLean County Law and Justice Center**

104 W. Front St.  
Bloomington, IL 61701  
County: McLean

##### **Richard J. Daley Center**

50 W. Washington  
Chicago, IL 60602  
County: Cook

##### **Sixth Municipal District Courthouse-Markham**

16501 Kedzie Ave.  
Markham, IL 60428  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Fostering Transitions AmeriCorps Children's Home Association of Illinois



#### **Program Description:**

Fostering Transitions AmeriCorps uses the service experience to prepare disadvantaged individuals for employment. The majority of National Service Participants serving with our program are unemployed current/former social service clients including but not limited to foster youth and individuals with disabilities. Our main purpose is to provide experiences for disadvantaged individuals to develop work readiness skills that support their long term life success. Terms of service (900, 675, 450 or 300 hours) provide an intensive "employment like" experience that bridges the gap between life in the system and self-sufficiency. Through service, individuals develop vocational skills and impact Central Illinois by: 1) providing academic enrichment & positive youth development to at-risk youth and 2) use service to engage community members in solving community issues.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Children's Home Youth Farm Campus**

7225 W. Plank Road  
Peoria, IL 61604  
County: Peoria

##### **Children's Home Academy Campus**

404 NE Madison  
Peoria, IL 61603  
County: Peoria

##### **Children's Home Knoxville Campus**

2130 N. Knoxville Avenue  
Peoria, IL 61603  
County: Peoria

##### **Children's Home Knoxville Campus-South**

2011 N Knoxville Avenue  
Peoria, IL 61603  
County: Peoria

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Fostering Transitions AmeriCorps Children's Home Association of Illinois

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Dream Center Peoria  
(Teen Reach)**

714 Hamilton  
Peoria, IL 61603  
County: Peoria

**Common Place  
(Teen Reach)**

512 S. Shelley  
Peoria, IL 61605  
County: Peoria

**Friendship House**

800 NE Madison  
Peoria, IL 61603  
County: Peoria

**South Side Mission**

1127 S. Laramie  
Peoria, IL 61605  
County: Peoria

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### City Year Chicago



#### **Program Description:**

City Year unites young people of all backgrounds for a year of full-time service, giving them the skills and opportunities to change the world. As tutors, mentors and role models, these diverse young leaders make a difference in the lives of children, and transform schools and neighborhoods in 23 U.S. locations, Johannesburg, South Africa and London, England. Just as important, during their year of service corps members develop civic leadership skills they can use throughout a lifetime of community service. By giving corps members the skills and opportunities to serve in schools and neighborhoods across the country, City Year seeks to help students and schools succeed. City Year leverages the talent, energy and idealism of corps members who serve as tutors, mentors and role models to help students stay on track.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Al Raby High School**

3545 W Fulton Blvd  
Chicago, IL 60624  
County: Cook

##### **Chicago Vocational Career Academy High School**

2100 E. 87th St  
Chicago, IL 60617  
County: Cook

##### **Chicago Talent Development High School**

2245 W. Jackson Blvd  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

##### **Clemente Community Academy High School**

1147 N Western Ave  
Chicago, IL 60622  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### City Year Chicago

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Clemente Community  
Academy High School**

1147 N Western Ave  
Chicago, IL 60622  
County: Cook

**Dulles School of Excellence**

6311 S. Calumet Ave  
Chicago, IL 60637  
County: Cook

**Herzl School of Excellence**

3711 W. Douglas Blvd  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

**Howe School of Excellence**

720 N. Lorel Ave  
Chicago, IL 60644  
County: Cook

**Kelvyn Park High School**

4343 W Wrightwood Ave  
Chicago, IL 60639  
County: Cook

**Maria Saucedo Elementary  
Scholastic Academy**

2850 W 24th Blvd  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

**O'Keeffe School of Excellence**

6940 S. Merrill Ave  
Chicago, IL 60649  
County: Cook

**Sherman School of Excellence**

1000 W. 52nd Street  
Chicago, IL 60609  
County: Cook

**Collins Academy High School**

1313 S. Sacramento Dr.  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

**Gage Park High School**

5630 S. Rockwell St.  
Chicago, IL 60629  
County: Cook

**Hope College Preparatory  
High School**

5515 S. Lowe Ave  
Chicago, IL 60621  
County: Cook

**Johnson School of Excellence**

1420 S. Albany Ave  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

**Lewis School of Excellence**

1431 N. Leamington Ave  
Chicago, IL 60651  
County: Cook

**Marquette School of Excellence**

6550 S. Richmond St.  
Chicago, IL 60629  
County: Cook

**Schurz High School**

3601 N. Milwaukee Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60641  
County: Cook

**Tilden Career Community  
Academy High School**

4747 S Union Ave  
Chicago, IL 60609  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### AmeriCorps/East St. Louis Lessie Bates Davis Neighborhood House



#### **Program Description:**

AmeriCorps/East St. Louis is designed to improve the academic skills of a minimum of 300 Elementary age students, to provide nutritional support for over 2500 persons per month, to recruit and manage over 1000 volunteers, and to build technological competence in the East St. Louis community. The mission of AmeriCorps/East St. Louis is to improve the educational achievement of the children served by East St. Louis School District #189. Members tutor the children in their academic subjects, provide positive role models for the children with whom they are working, and to improve the community in which the children live. In addition to their academic assistance, the Members operate a food pantry in the community and complete a variety of other service projects.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Bush School**

1516 Gross  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

##### **Continuum of Life Care Center**

1274 N. 37<sup>th</sup> Street  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

##### **Christian Activity Center**

540 N 8  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

##### **Dunbar School**

1900 Tudor Ave  
East St. Louis, IL 62001  
County: St. Clair

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### AmeriCorps/East St. Louis Lessie Bates Davis Neighborhood House

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Family Center**

705 Summit  
East St. Louis, IL 62201  
County: St. Clair

**Griffin Center**

2630 Lincoln  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**House of Prayer**

5501 Suffragen  
Washington Park, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**Emerson Park Charter School**

1798 Summit  
East St. Louis, IL 62001  
County: St. Clair

**Miles Davis School**

725 N 15  
East St. Louis, IL 62004  
County: St. Clair

**Nelson Mandela School**

1800 N 25 St  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**Wright School**

7710 State  
East St. Louis, IL 62005  
County: St. Clair

**Granite City Teen Reach**

3231 Nameoki  
Granite City, IL 62040  
County: Madison

**Hawthorne School**

1600 N 40 St  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**Jackie Joyner Kersee**

**Boys & Girls Club**  
101 Jackie Joyner Kersee Circle  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**McHenry School**

2700 Summit Ave  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**Neeley Elementary School**

4400 Grand  
East St. Louis, IL 62005  
County: St. Clair

**Trinity Center**

5101 Forest Blvd  
Washington Park, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

**Younge Middle School**

3939 Caseyville  
East St. Louis, IL 62204  
County: St. Clair

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Greater Chicago Food Depository



#### Program Description:

The Greater Chicago Food Depository, Chicago's food bank, is a non-profit food distribution and training center providing food for hungry people while striving to end hunger in our community. The Food Depository distributes donated and purchased food through a network of 650 pantries, soup kitchens and shelters. Many of these agencies face critical challenges, including a shortage of regular, able, and reliable volunteers to serve their clients. AmeriCorps Members participating in this program will address these needs. Some members will be placed in host site food pantries where they will recruit and train new volunteers, participate in community level capacity-building initiatives, provide technical and consulting services to host agencies, and support the agencies' daily operations. Other members will work with the Food Depository's SNAP (Food Stamp) outreach team to help pantry clients apply for and navigate the application process.

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Website: [www.chicagosfoodbank.org](http://www.chicagosfoodbank.org)

#### Host Sites:

##### Breakthrough Urban Ministries

410 N. St Louis Ave  
Chicago, IL 60624  
County: Cook

##### Marillac House Food Pantry

212 S. Francisco  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

##### Coppin Community Center

5627-33 S. Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60637  
County: Cook

##### Respond Now

1439 Emerald Street  
Chicago Heights, IL 60412  
County: Cook



## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### IPHA AmeriCorps Program Illinois Public Health Association



#### Program Description:

The mission of the Illinois Public Health Association AmeriCorps Program is to strengthen the field of public health through the development of skilled and committed leaders. It accomplishes this mission by having its members help meet locally identified needs at health agencies across the state through community service in the following focus areas: health promotion and outreach for programs serving youth, women, children and families, volunteer coordination, and assistance with community emergency preparedness.

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#### Host Sites:

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Health Department**  
330 Vermont St  
Quincy, IL 62301  
County: Adams

**Advocate Trinity Hospital**  
2320 E 93rd Street  
Chicago, IL 60617  
County: Cook

**AgeOptions**  
1048 Lake Street, Suite 300  
Oak Park, IL 60301  
County: Cook

**Central Counties Health Centers, Inc.**  
2239 East Cook Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**Chicago Family Health Center**  
9119 S. Exchange Ave  
Chicago, IL 60617  
County: Cook

**Clay County Health Department**  
601 E. 12<sup>th</sup> St  
Flora, IL 62839  
County: Clay

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### IPHA AmeriCorps Program Illinois Public Health Association

#### Host Sites Continued:

##### **Community Outreach Intervention Projects**

##### **UIC School of Public Health**

1603 West Taylor Street  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

##### **Heartland Health Outreach, Inc.**

1015 West Lawrence  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

##### **Kane County**

##### **Health Department**

1240 N. Highland Ave, Suite 25  
Aurora, IL 60506  
County: Kane

##### **McHenry County Department of Health**

2200 North Seminary Ave  
Woodstock, IL 60098  
County: McHenry

##### **McLean County**

##### **Health Department**

200 W. Front Street  
Bloomington, IL 61701  
County: McLean

##### **St. Clair County Health Department**

19 Public Square, Suite 150  
Belleville, IL 62220  
County: St. Clair

##### **ERIE Family Health Center**

1701 W. Superior Street  
Chicago, IL 60622  
County: Cook

##### **Heartland International Health Center**

3048 N. Wilton Ave. 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Chicago, IL 60657  
County: Cook

##### **Macoupin County**

##### **Health Department**

805 North Broad Street  
Carlinville, IL 62626  
County: Macoupin

##### **McLean County**

##### **Health Department**

200 W. Front Street  
Bloomington, IL 61701  
County: McLean

##### **PrimeCare Community Health, Inc.**

1431 N Western Ave, Suite 401  
Chicago, IL 60622  
County: Cook

##### **Wayne County Health Department**

405 North Basin Road  
Fairfield, IL 62837  
County: Wayne

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Jumpstart



#### Program Description:

Jumpstart is a national early education organization that recruits and trains college students to serve preschool children in low-income neighborhoods. Jumpstart Illinois partners with universities in Cook County to deliver our proven curriculum to children in low-income neighborhoods.

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#### Host Sites:

**Jumpstart Chicago  
at DePaul University**  
2233 N. Kenmore Ave  
Chicago, IL 60614  
County: Cook

**Jumpstart Chicago  
at Northwestern University**  
1813 Hinman Ave  
Evanston, IL 60208  
County: Cook

**Jumpstart Chicago  
at Loyola University**  
1032 W. Sheridan,  
Damen Student Center, Suite 217  
Chicago, IL 60660  
County: Cook

**Jumpstart Chicago  
at Roosevelt University**  
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Chicago, IL 60605  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Jumpstart

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Jumpstart Chicago  
at University of Chicago**  
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Chicago, IL 60637  
County: Cook

**Jumpstart River Forest  
at Dominican University**  
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Parmer Hall 010B  
River Forest, IL 60305  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Prisoner and Family Ministry Lutheran Social Services of Illinois



### Lutheran Social Services of Illinois

#### **Program Description:**

Through the program, AmeriCorps members help returning citizens create their life plans and prepare for employment. AmeriCorps members also expand community awareness and involvement by contacting potential employers.

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##### **Lutheran Social Services of Illinois**

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East St. Louis, IL 62205  
County: St. Clair

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### VOCAL\*AmeriCorps Literacy Volunteers of Illinois, Inc.



LITERACY VOLUNTEERS OF ILLINOIS

#### **Program Description:**

Twenty-eight AmeriCorps members will leverage an additional 400 volunteers to provide increased economic and educational opportunities to two underserved populations – low literate, economically disadvantaged adults residing in various communities in the greater Chicago area and teens incarcerated in the Illinois Youth Centers. Through the members and the volunteers they recruit, it is anticipated that 1500 low literate economically disadvantaged adults will receive one-to-one, small group or classroom instruction in adult literacy, ESL, or GED preparation and another 400 will receive job search assistance. Among the incarcerated youth, 300 will receive individualized tutorial instruction in math, reading and GED preparation.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Albany Park Community Center**

5121 N. Kimball Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60625  
County: Cook

##### **Centro Romero**

6216 N. Clark Street  
Chicago, IL 60660  
County: Cook

##### **Howard Area Community Center**

7647 N. Paulina  
Chicago, IL 60626  
County: Cook

##### **Anixter Center**

2032 N. Clybourn  
Chicago, IL 60614  
County: Cook

##### **Christopher House**

3255 W. Altgeld  
Chicago, IL 60647  
County: Cook

##### **Indo-American Center**

6328 N. California Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60659  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Literacy Volunteers of Illinois - VOCAL Literacy Volunteers of America - Illinois

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Instituto del Progreso Latino**

2570 S. Blue Island

Chicago, IL 60608

County: Cook

**Jump Start at the Illinois****Youth Centers**

IYC- Harrisburg

1201 W. Poplar

Harrisburg, IL 62946

County: Saline

**Jump Start at the Illinois****Youth Centers**

IYC-St. Charles -

3825 Campton Hills Rd.

St. Charles, IL 60175

County: Kane

**Mercy Housing Lakefront**

1512 S. Wabash

Chicago, IL 60605

County: Cook

**Township High School****District #214**

2121 S. Goebbert Road

Arlington Heights, IL 60005

County: Cook

**Pui Tak Center**

2216 S. Wentworth

Chicago, IL 60616

County: Cook

**World Relief**

3507 W. Lawrence Avenue

Chicago, IL 60625

County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### PCC AmeriCorps PCC Community Wellness Center



#### Program Description:

PCC Community Wellness is a network of 10 community health centers located on the west side of Chicago and nearby suburbs. Our mission is to improve health outcomes for medically underserved communities through the provision of high quality, affordable, and accessible primary health care and support services. AmeriCorps members are assigned to a PCC community health center where they work closely with a team of healthcare professionals. Members serve by promoting healthy lifestyle choices to patients and the community throughout the life cycle. They provide individual patient education in the health center and in homes, and conduct community education through collaborating schools and churches. PCC AmeriCorps is active in city and regional coalitions such as the Chicago Breastfeeding Task Force, Building a Healthier Chicago, and the Coalition to Lower Obesity in Chicago Children. PCC offers a mentoring program, pairing AmeriCorps members with an appropriate profession based on their career path interests. AmeriCorps members hold weekly team meetings and schedule team bonding activities and outings.

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#### Host Sites:

##### **PCC Austin Family Health Center**

5425 W. Lake Street  
Chicago, IL 60644  
County: Cook

##### **PCC Salud Family Health Center**

5359 W. Fullerton  
Chicago, IL 60639  
County: Cook

##### **PCC Lake Street Family Health Center**

14 W. Lake St.  
Oak Park, IL 60302  
County: Cook

##### **PCC South Family Health Center**

6201 W. Roosevelt  
Berwyn, IL 60402  
County: Cook



## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Peace Corps Fellows Program in Community Development Board of Trustees of Western Illinois University



Peace Corps  
Fellows Program  
in Community  
Development  
An AmeriCorps Program

#### Program Description:

The Peace Corps Fellows Program is essentially a pre-professional corps of rural community and economic developers. The program recruits recently returned Peace Corps volunteers (RPCVs) into a two-year graduate program at WIU. Fellows receive specialized training in community and economic development during the first year in the program, in order to prepare them for an eleven-month, community-based internship and full-time AmeriCorps assignment the second year of the program. During their AmeriCorps service, Fellows lead community and economic development projects and are responsible for mobilizing local volunteers to assist with the implementation of projects such as: downtown revitalization, business retention and expansion, entrepreneurship development, tourism development, community housing, health education and outreach, volunteer management, and organizational capacity building.

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#### Host Sites:

##### Bey Health Center

1 University Circle  
Macomb, IL 61455  
County: McDonough

##### City of Petersburg

125 S. Seventh Street  
Petersburg, IL 62675  
County: Sangamon

##### City of LaSalle

745 Second Street  
LaSalle, IL 61301  
County: LaSalle

##### Housing Authority of McDonough County

322 W Piper  
Macomb, IL 61455  
County: McDonough

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Peace Corps Fellows Program in Community Development Board of Trustees of Western Illinois University

#### Host Sites Continued:

**ISU Leadership and Service Unit**

206 Bone Student Center  
Normal, IL 61790  
County: McLean

**Knox County Health Department**

1361 W. Fremont Street  
Galesburg, IL 61401  
County: Knox

**Stephenson Center****Data Analysis and Special Projects**

Campus Box 4200  
Bloomington, IL 61790  
County: McLean

**United Way of McLean County**

201 E Grove Street  
Bloomington, IL 61701  
County: McLean

**Western Illinois University****Department of Sociology**

1 University Circle  
Macomb, IL 61455  
County: McDonough

**ISU Office of Sustainability**

302 N Normal Ave  
Normal, IL 61790  
County: McLean

**Stephenson Center****American Democracy Project**

Campus Box 4200  
Bloomington, IL 61790  
County: McLean

**Stephenson Center****MyEntre.Net**

Campus Box 4200  
Bloomington, IL 61790  
County: McLean

**Western Illinois Museum**

201 S. Lafayette  
Macomb, IL 61455  
County: McDonough

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### **MORE: Making Opportunities for Reading Enrichment** **Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois**



#### **Program Description:**

Project MORE provides critically needed economic opportunity and capacity building support for Head Start programs throughout the Chicago land area. Through a research-based financial literacy curriculum, adult education services, and a program developed employment readiness curriculum. MORE is committed to developing lifelong learning and economic self-sufficiency skills for Head Start and child care families. MORE provides: financial literacy, job-preparedness, and volunteer management training workshops; and tutoring sessions for parents in GED and English as a Second Language classes. The MORE program helps AmeriCorps members gain the necessary knowledge and skills to successfully work with families and professionals in economic opportunity and capacity building initiatives, as well as, recruit volunteers and community members to sustain MORE services to families.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Family Start Learning Centers**

##### **(FAST) - ESL Central**

1640 W. Roosevelt Road,  
Room # 611 (M/C 148)  
Chicago, IL 60608  
County: Cook

##### **Family Start Learning Center**

##### **(FAST) - ESL North at Ebenezer**

1650 W. Foster #1652  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

## **Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs**

### **MORE: Making Opportunities for Reading Enrichment Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois**

#### **Host Sites Continued:**

##### **Family Start Learning Centers (FAST) GED West**

##### **Garfield Center for Parents**

10 S. Kedzie, Lower Level L15

Chicago, IL 60612

County: Cook

##### **The Parent Outreach Office**

1640 W. Roosevelt Road,

Room # 619 (M/C 148)

Chicago, IL 60608

County: Cook

##### **Family Start Learning Centers (FAST) GED South**

##### **King Center for Parents**

4314 S. Cottage Grove

Chicago, IL 60653

County: Cook

##### **Resource and Volunteer Promotion Program**

##### **Chicago Center for Early Education**

1900 W. Van Buren, #2611

Chicago, IL 60612

County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Project YES! (Youth, Education, and Service) Northwestern University Settlement Association



#### Program Description:

Project YES! connects caring adults with youth in and around the West Town Community. Members will be assigned to one site for the program year to have the opportunity to build lasting relationships with students and teachers. While at the site members will be partnered with classroom teachers to assist in all aspects of the academic curriculum. Members will also implement after-school programming based on the needs of the school. Regular training sessions will help members to better serve their schools and community, and give the members the opportunity to plan quality service events. Trainings will include: classroom management, community awareness, planning effective volunteer projects, and civic engagement. Project YES! is a team based corporative environment that encourages members to work together to increase understanding in the schools as well as increasing volunteerism in the community.

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#### Host Sites:

##### **Golder College Prep**

1454 W. Superior Street  
Chicago, IL 60642  
County: Cook

##### **Northwestern Settlement**

1400 W. Augusta Blvd.  
Chicago, IL 60642  
County: Cook

##### **Noble Street College Prep**

1010 N. Noble  
Chicago, IL 60642  
County: Cook

##### **Pritzker College Prep**

4137 W. Cortland  
Chicago, IL 60639  
County: Cook

## **Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs**

### **Project YES! (Youth, Education, and Service) Northwestern University Settlement Association**

#### **Host Sites Continued:**

##### **Rowe-Clark Math and Science**

3645 W. Chicago Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60651  
County: Cook

##### **Rowe Elementary Charter School**

1424 N. Cleaver  
Chicago, IL 60622  
County: Cook

##### **UIC College Prep**

1231 S. Damen Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60608  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

Public Allies Chicago  
Public Allies Inc.



### Program Description:

Public Allies Chicago is a leadership development program that recruits diverse young adults with a passion for community service and places them into intensive non-profit capacity building Apprenticeships. Public Allies combines the Asset Based Community Development approach to community building with leadership development training and non-profit best practices to give our Members a well rounded non-profit and culture experience. The Apprenticeships are as diverse in responsibility as the Allies that fill them from project management, direct community outreach and program support for over 35 non-profits and schools focusing on Youth Development and Economic Opportunity. Our Allies also complete a separate Team Service Project during their year of service where they serve as consultants collaborating with a local non-profit to deliver a specific project. This Service Project allows Allies to apply their learning, solve problems in a team based setting and expand their experience and networks into multiple communities around Chicago. Each Ally is assigned a Program Manager to ensure their development and performance objectives stay on track throughout the year and to lay the groundwork for their careers.

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### Host Sites:

#### Action for Children

1340 S. Damen  
Chicago, IL 60608  
County: Cook

#### After School Matters

66 E. Randolph St., 4th fl  
Chicago, IL 60601  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Public Allies Chicago Public Allies Inc.

#### Host Sites Continued:

##### **After School Allstars**

125 S. Clark Street, 10th fl  
Chicago, IL 60603  
County: Cook

##### **Chicago Housing Initiative**

2150 S. Canalport Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60608  
County: Cook

##### **The Corporate Work Study Program**

5088 W. Jackson  
Chicago, IL 60644  
County: Cook

##### **Institute of Culteral Affairs**

4750 N. Sheridan Road  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

##### **Legal Prep Charter Academies**

4319 W. Washington  
Chicago, IL 60624  
County: Cook

##### **National Runaway Switchboard**

3080 N. Lincoln Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60657  
County: Cook

##### **Southwest Organizing Project**

2609 W. 63rd Street  
Chicago, IL 60629  
County: Cook

##### **AIDS Foundation of Chicago**

200 W. Jackson Blvd., #2200  
Chicago, IL 60606  
County: Cook

##### **Chicago Public Schools**

125 S. Clark St.  
Chicago, IL 60603  
County: Cook

##### **Griffith Tutoring**

3346 N. Southport Ave, #2S  
Chicago, IL 60657  
County: Cook

##### **Latino Policy Forum**

180 N. Michigan, Suite 1250  
Chicago, IL 60601  
County: Cook

##### **ONE Northside**

4648 N. Racine  
Chicago, IL 60640  
County: Cook

##### **North Branch Works**

1866 N. Marcey  
Chicago, IL 60614  
County: Cook

##### **Teen Living Program**

162 W. Hubbard, Suite 400  
Chicago, IL 60654  
County: Cook



## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

**Public Allies Chicago**  
**Public Allies Inc.**

### **Host Sites Continued:**

**Walt Disney Magnet School**

4140 N. Marine Dr.  
Chicago, IL 60613  
County: Cook

**YMCA of the USA**

101 N. Wacker Dr.  
Chicago, IL 60606  
County: Cook

**Village Leadership Academy**

800 S. Wells, Suite 90  
Chicago, IL 60607  
County: Cook

**Youth Organization Umbrella**

1027 Sherman Ave.  
Evanston, IL 60202  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Healthy Communities Corps Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago



#### **Program Description:**

Healthy Communities Corps (HCC) is an AmeriCorps program administered by the Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago. HCC partners with local community organizations to improve food quantity and quality in underserved communities across Chicago and Suburban Cook County. AmeriCorps members placed in these host sites will play a critical role in expanding and enhancing current interventions or creating new ones that increase food security. Strategies will include increasing access points to affordable and nutritious foods, expanding the number of vendors accepting food assistance benefits, empowering community members with health and nutrition knowledge, and building sustainability for local projects, such as community gardens, by engaging non-member volunteers and forging community-based partnerships.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Chicago Public Schools**

##### **Office of Student Health and Wellness**

125 S. Clark, 9th Floor  
Chicago, IL 60603  
County: Cook

##### **Common Threads**

500 N. Dearborn, Suite 605  
Chicago, IL 60654  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Healthy Communities Corps Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago

#### Host Sites Continued:

##### **Healthy Schools Campaign**

175 N. Franklin, Suite 300  
Chicago, IL 60647  
County: Cook

##### **Respond Now, Inc.**

P.O. Box 215  
Chicago Heights, IL 60412  
County: Cook

##### **Seven Generations Ahead**

1049 Lake Street  
Oak Park, IL 60301  
County: Cook

##### **La Casa Norte**

3533 W. North Ave  
Chicago, IL 60647  
County: Cook

##### **Rush Alzheimer's Disease Center**

600 S. Paulina, Suite 1022  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Land of Lincoln AmeriCorps Rend Lake College



#### Program Description:

Land of Lincoln AmeriCorps is primarily part-time tutors and mentors serving in the grade schools helping with literacy reading skills in the lower grades PreK-2 and homework completion, attitudes toward school, disciplinary referrals with the upper grades 3-8. The hope is for the member to give that little extra help to at least 8-10 teacher-referred students who are needing help to get up to grade level in subjects they are struggling with. The Southern 7 AmeriCorps portion of the grant is primarily full-time members serving with non-profit agencies who are needing extra help in providing face-to-face services to children and families in a wide variety of disciplines including a battered women's center, a children's home, a lunch buddies program, computer lab, food pantry, mental health counseling, environmental education and interpretive services for visitors centers, coordination of volunteers in environmental conservation, and environmental recycling. These activities are concentrated in the Southern approximately 10 counties of Illinois.

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#### Host Sites:

##### **Adams School District #2**

15470 Lake of Egypt Road  
Creal Springs, IL 62922  
County: Williamson

##### **Bethel Grade School District #82**

1201 Bethel Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864  
County: Jefferson

##### **Benton Elementary District #47**

1000 McKenzie  
Benton, IL 62812  
County: Franklin

##### **Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale**

P.O. Box 3092  
Carbondale, IL 62902  
County: Jackson

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Land of Lincoln AmeriCorps Rend Lake College

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Central City Grade School****District #133**

129 Douglas St.  
Centralia, IL 62801  
County: Marion

**Crab Orchard Elementary**

19189 Cory Bailey St.  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

**Cypress Creek National  
Wildlife Refuge**

Rustic Campus Building D  
Ullin, IL 62992  
County: Pulaski

**Faith Cares Mentoring**

721 Broadway Street  
Metropolis, IL 62960  
County: Massac

**Guardian Family Services**

P.O. Box 742  
Metropolis, IL 62960  
County: Massac

**Irvington Grade School****District #11**

500 Superior St  
Irvington, IL 62848  
County: Marion

**Lewis Grade School  
(Carbondale) District #95**

800 S. Lewis Ln.  
Carbondale, IL 62901  
County: Jackson

**Light The Way, Inc.**

306D W. 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Metropolis, IL 62960  
County: Massac

**City of Carbondale**

212 W. Willow St.  
Carbondale, IL 62902  
County: Jackson

**Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge**

8588 Rt. 148  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

**DeSoto Grade School District #86**

311 Hurst Road  
DeSoto, IL 62924  
County: Jackson

**Field Grade School District #3**

21075 N. Hails Ln.  
Texico, IL 62889  
County: Jefferson

**Ina Grade School District #8**

511 S. Elm St. PO Box 129  
Ina, IL 62846  
County: Jefferson

**Jefferson Grade School****(Marion) District #2**

700 E. Boulevard St.  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

**Lincoln Grade School****(Marion) District #2**

400 Morningside Dr.  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

**Longfellow Grade School****(Marion) District #2**

400 W. Hendrickson St.  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Land of Lincoln AmeriCorps Rend Lake College

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Marion Junior High  
School District #2**  
1609 W. Main St.  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

**Mt. Vernon J. L. Buford  
School District #80**  
623 S. 34th St.  
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864  
County: Jefferson

**Nashville Grade School District #49**  
750 East Gorman  
Nashville, IL 62263  
County: Washington

**Odin Grade School District #122**  
102 S. Merritt Street  
Odin, IL 62870  
County: Marion

**Massac County Mental Health**  
206 West Fifth Street  
Metropolis, IL 62960  
County: Massac

**Mt. Vernon Primary Center District #80**  
401 N. 30th St.  
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864  
County: Jefferson

**North Wamac Grade  
School District #186**  
1500 Case Street  
Centralia, IL 62801  
County: Marion

**Opdyke-Belle Rive  
Elementary CCSD#5**  
601 S Gum Street  
Belle Rive, IL. 62810  
County: Jefferson

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Land of Lincoln AmeriCorps Rend Lake College

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Parrish Grade School  
(Carbondale) District #95**

121 N. Parrish Ln.  
Carbondale, IL 62901  
County: Jackson

**Rome Grade School District #2**

233 W. South Street  
Dix, IL 62830  
County: Jefferson

**SIUC Touch of Nature  
Environmental Center**

Mail Code 6888, Southern Illinois University  
Carbondale, IL 62901  
County: Jackson

**Thomas Grade School  
(Carbondale) District #95**

1025 N. Wall St.  
Carbondale, IL 62901  
County: Jackson

**Unity Point CUSD No. 140**

4033 S. Illinois Ave.  
Carbondale, IL 62903  
County: Jackson

**Willow Grove Grade School  
District #46**

815 W. 7th St  
Centralia, IL 62801  
County: Clinton

**Patoka Grade School  
District #100**

1220 Kinoka Road  
Patoka, IL 62875  
County: Jefferson

**Schiller Elementary**

800 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Centralia, IL 62803  
County: Marion

**St. Mary Grade School**

424 E. Broadway  
Centralia, IL 62801  
County: Marion

**Trinity Lutheran Grade School**

P.O. Box 57  
Hoyleton, IL 62803  
County: Washington

**Washington Grade School  
(Marion) District #2**

420 E. Main St.  
Marion, IL 62959  
County: Williamson

**Woodlawn Grade School  
District #4**

301 S. Central Street  
Woodlawn, IL 62898  
County: Jefferson

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### ABC AmeriCorps Sauk Valley Community College



#### **Program Description:**

AmeriCorps Benefits the Community (ABC AmeriCorps) of Sauk Valley Community College (SVCC) is a community benefiting service, growing, changing and responding to the needs of 6 counties in northwest Illinois, by expanding the ability of schools and organizations to provide services addressing educational and human needs, thus improving the quality of life in the Sauk Valley.

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#### **Host Sites:**

**Camp Reynoldswood Christian  
Camp and Retreat Center**  
621 Reynoldswood Road  
Dixon, IL 61021  
County: Lee

**Coloma Township Park Dist.**  
508 E. 11th Stret  
Rock Falls, IL 61071  
County: Whiteside

**Dixon Family YMCA**  
110 N Galena Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021  
County: Lee

**Casa Guanajuato  
c/o YWCA of Sauk Valley**  
412 1st Ave.  
Sterling, IL 61081  
County: Whiteside

**Dillon Primary School**  
1901 Eighth Avenue  
Rock Falls, IL 61071  
County: Whiteside

**East Coloma School**  
1602 Dixon Road  
Rock Falls, IL 61071  
County: Whiteside



## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### ABC AmeriCorps Sauk Valley Community College

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Hammond-Henry Hospital**

600 North College Avenue  
Geneseo, IL 61254  
County: Henry

**Kreider Services**

500 Anchor Road  
Dixon, IL 61021  
County: Lee

**Sauk Valley Community College****Adult Education**

173 IL Route 2  
Dixon, IL 61021  
County: Lee

**Sauk Valley Community College****Volunteer Coord./Resource Directory**

173 IL Route 2  
Dixon, IL 61021  
County: Lee

**Teen Turf**

235 West Main  
Amboy, IL 61310  
County: Lee

**21st Century AfterSchool Program****c/o Sterling YMCA**

2505 YMCA Way  
Sterling, IL 61081  
County: Whiteside

**Illinois Theatre Conservatory****Leepertown School**

100 North Street, P.O. Box 170  
Bureau, IL 61315  
County: Bureau

**Rock Falls High School**

101 12th Avenue  
Rock Falls, IL 61071  
County: Whiteside

**Sauk Valley Community College****Student Support Services**

173 IL Route 2  
Dixon, IL 61021  
County: Lee

**Sterling YMCA**

2505 YMCA Way  
Sterling, IL 61081  
County: Whiteside

**YWCA of the Sauk Valley**

412 1st Ave.  
Sterling, IL 61081  
County: Whiteside

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Schuler Scholar Program Schuler Family Foundation



#### Program Description:

The Schuler Scholar Program prepares under-resourced, high potential students to succeed at the most competitive private colleges and universities. Schuler Scholars are typically first generation college bound, come from under-resourced families or communities and will need financial assistance in order to attend college. Many Scholars are from a population that is under-represented on college campuses. We believe that if high potential, but vulnerable students have access to academic and enrichment programs while in high school, are well informed of college options, receive support from family, friends, teachers and mentors, are motivated, and secure financial assistance, they will be successful in obtaining a college degree.

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##### **CICS Ralph Ellison**

1817 W 80th Street  
Chicago, IL 60620  
County: Cook

##### **Cristo Rey St. Martin College Prep**

501 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue  
Waukegan, IL 60085  
County: Lake

##### **Collins Academy High School**

1313 S. Sacramento Dr.  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

##### **Highland Park High School**

433 Vine Avenue  
Highland Park, IL 60035  
County: Lake

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Schuler Scholar Program Schuler Family Foundation

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Maine East High School**

2601 Dempster St.  
Park Ridge, IL 60068  
County: Cook

**Round Lake High School**

800 N. High School Drive  
Round Lake, IL 60073  
County: Lake

**Waukegan High School**

2325 Brookside Avenue  
Waukegan, IL 60085  
County: Lake

**North Chicago Community  
High School**

1717 Seventeenth St.  
North Chicago, IL 60064  
County: Lake

**Warren Township High School**

500 North O'Plaine Road  
Gurnee, IL 60031  
County: Lake

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Healthy and Able AmeriCorps South Suburban Training and Rehabilitation Services



#### **Program Description:**

SouthSTAR Services serves approximately 450 people with developmental disabilities each year through a wide range of community based services such as group homes, vocational training, case management, and employment services. Our mission is to provide choices and opportunities for persons with developmental disabilities, which enrich their lives and maximize independence in their pursuit of vocation, community living, and social integration.

In partnership with New Hope Center and Sertoma Centre, the AmeriCorps members will play an integral part in implementing a "Healthy and Able" program geared to teach people with developmental disabilities how to lead healthier lifestyles through classroom education, diet, and exercise.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **New Hope Center**

1624 E 154th Street  
Dolton, IL 60419  
County: Cook

##### **Sertoma Centre**

4343 W 123rd Street  
Alsip, IL 60803  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

AmeriCorps/ Youth Corps  
Springfield Urban League, Inc.



**Springfield**  
Urban League, Inc.

*Empowering Communities.  
Changing Lives.*

### Program Description:

The Springfield Urban League's AmeriCorps Program is designed to engage AmeriCorps members in direct service and capacity-building to address unmet needs. Activities may include tutoring and mentoring youth, assisting disaster victims, helping with community gardens, assisting with the organization of community programs (i.e. job preparedness, healthy lifestyles, financial literacy, etc.) and also mobilize community volunteers and strengthen the capacity of the organizations where they serve.

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### Host Sites:

#### **Boys & Girls Club of Springfield**

300 S. 15th Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

#### **Douglas School**

444 West Reynolds Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

#### **Lanphier High School**

1300 North 11th Street  
Springfield, IL 62702  
County: Sangamon

#### **Brandon Outreach Center**

#9 Brandon Drive  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

#### **Laketown Elementary School**

1825 Lee Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

#### **Lee Elementary School**

1201 Bunn Avenue  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### AmeriCorps/ Youth Corps Springfield Urban League, Inc.

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Little Angels Childcare Center**

101 East Allen Street  
Springfield, IL 62704  
County: Sangamon

**Pleasant Hill Elementary**

3040 Linden Avenue  
Springfield, IL 62702  
County: Sangamon

**Southern View****Elementary School**

3338 South Fifth Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**Springfield High School**

101 South Lewis Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**SUL Head Start – Cook Site**

1108 East Cook  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**SUL Health Initiatives Office**

1551 East Madison  
Springfield, IL 62702  
County: Sangamon

**SUL UYEP**

700 South Livingston  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**NAACP Alternative School**

2208 East Kansas  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**Poplar Place Community Garden**

902 South 25th St.  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**Springfield Community  
Federation**

#52 Brandon Drive  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**Springfield Southeast  
High School**

2350 East Ash Street  
Springfield, IL 62703  
County: Sangamon

**SUL Head Start – St. Cabrini Site**

1024 North Milton  
Springfield, IL 62702  
County: Sangamon

**SUL Male Involvement Office**

249 South Webster  
Decatur, IL 62521  
County: Sangamon/Macon

**Wanless Elementary School**

2120 E Reservoir St.  
Springfield, IL 62702  
County: Sangamon

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

Teach for America



### Program Description:

Teach For America corps members commit two years to serve as full time teachers in urban and rural public schools and become lifelong leaders in the effort to expand opportunity for children. Corps members are placed in pre-K through high school teaching positions throughout Chicago.

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### Host Sites:

#### **Amandla Elementary Charter School**

6800 South Stewart Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60621  
County: Cook

#### **Brennemann Elementary School**

4251 North Clarendon Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60613  
County: Cook

#### **Bowen Environmental Studies High School**

2710 East 89th Street  
Chicago, IL 60617  
County: Cook

#### **Bronzeville Lighthouse Elementary Charter School**

8 West Root Street  
Chicago, IL 60609  
County: Cook

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Teach for America

#### Host Sites Continued:

**Bronzeville Scholastic High School**

4934 South Wabash Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60615  
County: Cook

**CICS Rockford Patriots**

615 South 5th Street  
Rockford, IL 61104  
County: Rockford

**Kozminski Elementary Community Academy**

936 East 54th Street  
Chicago, IL 60615  
County: Cook

**Legal Prep Charter Academies**

4319 West Washington Boulevard  
Chicago, IL 60624  
County: Cook

**Noble Street Charter High School**

1010 North Noble Street  
Chicago, IL 60642  
County: Cook

**Perspectives Charter High School**

1930 South Archer Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60616  
County: Cook

**UNO Network Elementary Charter School**

2317 West 23rd Street  
Chicago, IL 60608  
County: Cook

**Urban Prep Charter Academy  
Englewood Campus**

6201 South Stewart Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60621  
County: Cook

**Catalyst Elementary Charter School**

1616 South Spalding Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

**KIPP Ascend Elementary Charter School**

1616 South Avers Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60623  
County: Cook

**Learn Elementary Charter School**

1132 South Homan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60624  
County: Cook

**Loop Learning Center**

2001 South Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60616  
County: Cook

**One Hope United Bridgeport**

3053 South Normal Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60616  
County: Cook

**Piccolo Elementary Specialty School**

1040 North Keeler Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60651  
County: Cook

**Urban Prep Charter Academy****East Garfield Campus**

2908 West Washington Boulevard  
Chicago, IL 60612  
County: Cook



## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### West Suburban PADS



#### **Program Description:**

West Suburban PADS serves the needs of individuals and families who are homeless, or at-risk of homelessness, with dignity and respect, through shelter, housing and prevention. West Suburban PADS' AmeriCorps program directly enhances the agency's five program areas – Emergency Services, Supportive Services, Employment Readiness, Supportive Housing and Homeless Prevention. AmeriCorps members perform a range of duties during their service (1700 or 900 hours) to assist clients in the transition out of homelessness via Outreach and Engagement activities in the Emergency and Transitional Shelters; serving as Case Aides in the day-time Support Center to assist clients with basic needs, benefits coordination and linkage to needed services; and facilitating both group and one-on-one employment readiness services. AmeriCorps members also provide case management services for those placed into housing and through the Aftercare program once clients obtain housing. Two of the 8 member positions will co-locate several days a week to provide services at partners agencies Oak Park –River Forest Food Pantry and Prevail (formerly the Walk-In Ministry).

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## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Western Illinois- Quad Cities Board of Trustees of Western Illinois University



WIU-QC/WQPT  
**Early Childhood  
Literacy Project**

#### **Program Description:**

AmeriCorps members will be expanding and improving literacy skills for children at risk for failure, as well as under-served young children in the Quad Cities area. Greater literacy skills in early childhood have a direct impact on a person's future success in school.

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#### **Host Sites:**

##### **Casa de los Ninos**

1401 16th Street  
Moline, IL 61265  
County: Rock Island

##### **Skip-a-Long Child Development Center**

4800 60th Street  
Moline, IL 61265  
County: Rock Island

##### **Skip-a-Long Child Development Center**

1609 4th Street  
Rock Island, IL 61201  
County: Rock Island

## Illinois AmeriCorps\*State Programs

### Youth Organization Umbrella, Inc.



#### **Program Description:**

Y.O.U. provides a holistic set of services to meet the academic, social, and emotional development needs of over 1,000 underserved youth in Evanston and Skokie, IL each year. Our program targets youth, ages 8-18, whose circumstances make it hard for them to successfully navigate their environments at home, in school, and in the community. Our Y.O.U.th Serve AmeriCorps Members deliver a broad range of high-quality afterschool and summer learning activities to help these youth succeed.

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